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Waterford City \& County Council
Date: July 2020

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## Housing Report

## Housing Applications

Applications received for local authority housing in Metropolitan area.

| Housing applications | June 2019 | June 2020 | Total Number of <br> Applications Year To <br> Date 2020 |
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| Applications received | 53 | 60 | 436 |
| Application assessed <br> (incl files carried <br> forward from previous <br> month(s) | 69 | 53 | 422 |
| Applications validated <br> (incl files carried <br> forward from previous <br> month(s) | 38 | 36 | 320 |
| Approved for social <br> housing supports <br> following interview <br> with applicant | 42 | 36 | 271 |

## Housing Allocations

| Metropolitan <br> District | Tenancies during <br> June 2019 | New Tenancies <br> during June, 2020 | Refusal Number <br> of New Tenancy <br> offered | Cumulative <br> Number of New <br> Tenancies 2020 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 16 | 12 | 1 | 65 |
| AHBS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 16 | $\mathbf{1 2}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{6 5}$ |

## Housing Stock Voids

| Area | Number of units <br> completed June 2020 | Newly vacant June 2020 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Metropolitan | 7 | 4 |

Capital Projects

| Housing Capital Schemes - WCCC Projects |  |  |  |  |
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| Project Location | Units | Area | Current Position | Comment |
| The Glen <br> Waterford | 17 | Metropolitan | Planning Stage | Stage 2 approved - Brought <br> to Council workshop. |
| Summerland <br> Square Waterford | 12 | Metropolitan | Appraisal/Design <br> Stage | Tender Q3 2020 |
| Ardmore Park / <br> Priory Lawn | 5 | Metropolitan | Construction | Construction in Progress |
| Larchville | 5 | Metropolitan | Construction | Construction in Progress |
| Tramore An <br> Garran | 50 | Metropolitan | Tender Design | Tender Q3 2020 |
| Doyle Street | 4 | Metropolitan | Tender | Tender Award Process |
| Slievekeale | 58 | Metropolitan | Construction | Construction in Progress |
| Mount William, <br> Williamstown Rd | 65 | Metropolitan | Turnkey | Stage 1 Approved |
| Clarendon Court | 24 | Metropolitan | CPO | Negotiations with owners <br> ongoing - potential Repair <br> and Lease Scheme |
| Lacken | 55 | Metropolitan | Construction | 34 units completed, 21 in <br> progress |
| Ballygunner | 49 | Metropolitan | Tender Design | Tender Q4 2020 |
| Ballynaneashagh | 22 | Metropolitan | Planning | Part 8 - approved |
| Mount Esker, <br> Ballytruckle | 14 | Metropolitan | Tender Design | Part 8 - approved |
| Mount Suir, <br> Carrickphierish | 18 | Metropolitan | Completed | Completed |
| Barnes Lane, The <br> Glen | 2 | Metropolitan | Completed | Completed |
| Buy \& Renew - <br> Thomas Court | 11 | Metropolitan | Tender <br> Preparation | Works Tender Q3, 2020 |
| Buy \& Renew - <br> Manor Court | 4 | Metropolitan | Completed | Completed |
| Buy \& Renew - <br> Barker Place | 16 | Metropolitan | On site | 11 units completed, 5 units <br> in progress |
| Buy \& Renew - <br> 42/43 Doyle <br> Street | 2 | Metropolitan | On site | Construction in progress |
|  | 433 Total Units in Metropolitan WCCC Projects |  |  |  |


| Housing Capital Schemes - Approved Housing Body Projects |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Project Location | Units | Area | Current Position | Comment |
| Tramore, <br> Ballycarnane <br> Tramore <br> Voluntary <br> Housing | 18 | Metropolitan | Design Stage | Cost revisions being <br> considered. Awaiting <br> progress from AHB. |
| Powersfield, <br> Hennessy's Road <br> Focus Ireland | 3 | Metropolitan | Design Stage | Awaiting progress from <br> AHB |
| The Paddock's <br> Anvers/Acquired <br> Brain Injury <br> Ireland | 9 | Metropolitan | Construction | Construction in progress |
| Wadding Manor, <br> Ferrybank <br> (Respond) | 10 | Metropolitan | Design Stage | Construction in Progress |
| Kilbarry, 6 Cross <br> Roads (Respond) | 69 | Metropolitan | Construction | Construction in <br> progress. Completion <br> Q3, 2020 |
| Fairfield Park <br> (Circle AHB) | 40 | Metropolitan | Construction | Completed |
|  | Total Units in Approved Housing Body Projects 149 |  |  |  |

## Housing Adaptation Grants Schemes

| Grant Scheme <br> Amount | Number of <br> applications <br> approved | Value of <br> applications |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Housing Adaptation for People with a Disability <br> Maximum $€ 30,000$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |
| Mobility Aids Scheme <br> Maximum $€ 6,000$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |
| Housing Aid for Older People <br> Maximum $€ 8,000$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $€ 5879.50$ |
| Total for June | $\mathbf{3}$ | $€ 5879.50$ |
| Cumulative Total for $\mathbf{2 0 2 0}$ | $\mathbf{5 0}$ | $\mathbf{3 3 0 , 0 9 4 . 5 0}$ |

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